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## VICTIM OF TYPHOID.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction Serious—ly Ill.

Frankfort, Ky., April 2.—Becoming completely overworked as a result of a long and tedious strain endeavoring to secure legislation favorable to the development of the schools in Kentucky, Prof. J. C. Crabbe Superintendent of public instruction, has been stricken with typhoid fever and lies at his home in this city, dangerously ill. His friends are alarmed about his condition, and, as the crisis of the disease has not yet been reached, fears are entertained as to the ultimate result. During his illness the work in the office of State Superintendent is being conducted by Prof. T. W. Vinson and J. P. Culbertson. Before Prof. Crabbe was taken sick he had outlined his plans for the school work this year, and his secretary but to carry out his plans.

## Boni "Castaway."

Paris, April 2.—Although Mme. Anna Gould, before her departure from Paris for the United States, repeatedly denied to intimate friends that she had any intention of marrying Prince Helle de Sagan, the Prince was a welcome guest at her city and country residences for months, and they often dined and went to the theater together.

Mme. Gould has always been regarded as headstrong by her friends and consequently they would not be astonished if she persisted in marrying the Prince despite the disastrous results of her marriage to Count Boni de Castellane and the present opposition to her family.

Count Boni de Castellane, who is a cousin of the Prince, is reported as being furious at the confirmation of his suspicions, and the Paris newspapers naturally are having considerable fun over the idea of Mme. Gould's re-entry into the French aristocracy as the Princess de Sagan "with a reduced fortune of only \$60,000 a year," that sum being regarded as prodigious in France. The Gil Blas is especially hilarious over the Prince's alleged reply to an insinuation that he was a fortune hunter, in which he said:

"At my age a man only marries for love."

## EASILY DECIDED.

This Question Should Be Answered Easily by Hopkinsville People.

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The Parental Voice—Maud, is that young man gone yet?  
The Daughter—Yes, papa; he says he is.—Cleveland Leader.

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## PLAYING THE GAME.

Politicians Reaped Rich Harvest in Wytheville, Says Citizen.

It was almost twenty years ago that the town of Wytheville, Va., first laid itself open to the designs of self-seeking politicians through the erection of a public lighting plant. Since then the vicissitudes of the venture have been many, culminating in the sale of the plant for practically nothing. The story is best told in the words of a leading citizen, who says:

"The plant was installed in 1880 by the town of Wytheville at a cost of \$12,000 and was operated by the town as a municipally managed institution until about 1895. While so managed it was operated at a loss, being subjected, as all municipally managed utilities are, to graft, political intrigue and unsystematic and inefficient attention. It became a public scandal of costliness and inefficiency by 1895, at which time it was leased and operated for several years with a fair degree of success, the products sold at a fixed price per terms of rent, which were about the same prices from consumers' standpoint as had been effective under municipal management. Under the later management the quality of service was first class—much better than under municipal management at the same prices—but the equipment was inadequate for properly caring for the increased demand.

"The apparent success of the lessees in operating a municipally owned plant was like flaunting the red flag in the face of local politicians, who could not forget the 'pickings' formerly enjoyed by them under municipal control, and they persuaded the town authorities in 1902 to terminate the lease of the plant and sell it at \$1,500. It was actually worth about \$4,000.

"The trouble about municipal ownership in a small town like this is that the citizens are too busy attending to their individual affairs to avoid the possibility of the expenditure of, say, \$1,500 by designing men in influencing 'public opinion' to look the other way while a lot of grafters loot the town and recoup themselves with the difference in value between what they can get while the municipal managers are looking the other way and the actual worth of the property."

## DECEPTION IN REPORTS.

Two Succeeding Reports of Same Institution Show Peculiar Differences.

A comparison of the reports of the municipal electric light plant of Allegheny for the years 1904-05 and 1905-06 reveals one of the most barefaced attempts to deceive the public that has yet come to our notice. The managers of this plant had deemed it necessary to show a lower cost for street lights than was paid by the adjacent city of Pittsburgh to a private company. Up to 1904-05 this had been accomplished by omitting the charges for water, lost taxes, part of the interest and some minor items and by charging only 5 per cent for depreciation. In that year they showed a "cost" of \$83.44. At that time, however, the charge for street lights in Pittsburgh was reduced from \$96 to \$76 a year.

In order to meet this bona fide reduction on the part of the Pittsburgh company the item of depreciation was omitted from the next report of the Allegheny plant, and a "cost" of \$65.64 was thus shown. This would have been bad enough, but the matter was made worse by this statement, which appeared above the table of costs: "The following charges cover the matter completely." This statement, which is false, as shown by previous reports of the same plant, has been repeated in subsequent reports.

While this is an extreme example of official deceit, it is only a little more brazen than scores of similar reports which are being put out annually ostensibly to give the citizens of various cities information in regard to their municipal plants, but the real object of which is to prevent their knowing how expensive is municipal management compared with the average prices obtained by contract with private companies.

## A Rather Broad Hint.

There is quite a difference of opinion on the subject of municipal ownership. There is no mistaking the fact that it is next to impossible to get a set of councilmen that will attend to municipal affairs in the same spirit they will their own affairs. That this is the position of the average man there is no denying. Setting aside all differences of opinion, it is safe to say that the plant here has furnished good service both in water and light. That the plant has been run at a loss is no reflection on the plant. The business is here, but no business in existence was ever successful if a lot of people can get service for nothing, and the sooner this is understood the better it will be for the town.—Editorial in Summitville (Ind.) Reporter.

## Hopes Unfounded.

All that municipal ownership can hope to save a community in a monetary sense are the "profits" which are thought to be making the stockholders of service corporations rich. It is a matter of common knowledge that these profits are being and have been reduced to slender margins and with many companies wiped out altogether. The inability of municipal plants to buy supplies, materials, brains or labor as cheaply as private industries more than overcomes this margin.—H. J. Gorden Before the League of American Municipalities.

If the law's servants sin where private ownership is concerned, how is it expected that they will not sin under public ownership?—Memphis (Tenn.) Commercial Appeal.



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